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Hon. Assistant Commissioner  
for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND  
RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S COMMUNICATION

Sir:

This responds to the September 28, 2000 Examiner's  
Communication issued in the above-identified application.

Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

After page 82, insert the paper copy of the Sequence  
Listing filed concurrently herewith as Exhibit A to the Request